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ELECTION COMMISSION, INDIA

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 15th March, 1961

S.O. 539.—In pursuance of clause (a) of section 4 of the Two-member Constituencies (Abolition) Act, 1961, the Election Commission hereby publishes its proposals in regard to the matters mentioned in section 3 of the Act as respects the State of Kerala and specifies the 10th April, 1961, as the date on or after which the proposals will be further considered by it.

Any objections or suggestions in regard to these proposals should reach the Secretary of the Election Commission (1, Aurangzeb Road, New Delhi-11) before the said date. It would facilitate prompt consideration if they are in English.

PROPOSALS

In the State of Kerala, there are 11 two-member assembly constituencies in each of which one seat is reserved for the scheduled castes, one two-member assembly constituency in which one seat is reserved for the scheduled tribes and two two-member parliamentary constituencies with one seat reserved for the scheduled castes in each. Under section 3 of the Two-Member Constituencies (Abolition) Act, 1961, each of these constituencies is to be divided into two single-member constituencies. These shall, as far as practicable, be geographically compact areas, and in delimiting them, regard shall be had to physical features, existing boundaries of administrative units, facilities of communication and public convenience. The said section further provides that the seat for the scheduled castes or the scheduled tribes shall be reserved in that one of the two single-member constituencies which, in the opinion of the Election Commission, has the greater concentration of population of the scheduled castes, or, as the case may be, of the scheduled tribes.

2. Having regard to these provisions, it is proposed to divide the two-member assembly and parliamentary constituencies and to reserve seats for the scheduled castes and scheduled tribes as shown in the following statement. The serial number, name and extent of each two-member constituency as given in the Delimitation of Parliamentary and Assembly Constituencies Order, 1956, are set out in the first two columns of the statement for facility of reference. The seat in any constituency after whose name the brackets and letters "(SC)" or "(ST)" appear in the third column will be reserved for the scheduled castes in the former case and for the scheduled tribes in the latter case.

Existing Two-Member Constituency		Proposed Single-Member constituencies	
S. No. and Name	Extent	S. No. and Name	Extent
<i>I—Assembly constituencies</i>			
11. Varkala (SC).	Chirayinkil taluk (excluding Attingal town and Azhur, Chirayinkil-Sarkara, Keezhvalam-Koonthaloar, Idacode, Attingal, Avanavanchery, Alarncode, Ilampa and Mudakkal villages).	11. Varkala	Kadakkavur, Vettur-Cherunniyoor, Varkala, Edava, Ayiroor and Chemmaruthy villages in Chirayinkil taluk.
		11A. Kilimanoor (SC).	Kezhattingal, Manampoor, Ottoor, Navaikulam, Pallickal, Madavoor, Kilimanoor, Vellaloor, Karavaram, Nagaroor, Koduvazhannur, Pulimath and Pazhayakunnumel villages in Chirayinkil taluk.
14. Thrikkadavur (SC)	Quilon taluk (excluding Paravoor, Poothakulam, Eravipuram, Mayyanad, Meenad, Kalluvathukkal, Vadakkevila and Quilon villages and Quilon town); and Thekkumbhagam village in Karunagapally taluk.	14. Thrikkadavur	Kilikollur, Thrikkadavur, Thrikkaruva, Perinad and Munroe Island villages in Quilon taluk ; and Thekkumbagam village in Karunagapally taluk.
		14A. Kottamkara (SC).	Adichanallur, Thrikkovilvattom, Nedumpana, Kottamkara, Mulavana and East Kallada villages in Quilon taluk.
20. Mavelikara (SC).	Mavelikara taluk (excluding Perungala and Pandalam South villages).	20 Mavelikara	Mavelikara taluk (excluding Perungala, Pandalam South, Bharanikavu, Vallikunnam, Thamarakulam, Noornad, Tonnallur and Palamel villages).
		20A. Bharanikavu (SC).	Bharanikavu, Vallikunnam Thamarakulam, Noornad, Tonnallur and Palamel villages in Mavelikara taluk.
21. Kunnathur (SC).	Kunnathur taluk; and Pandalam South village in Mavelikara taluk.	21. Adoor	Erathu, Adoor, Ezhamkulam, Koduman, Angadikal, Enadimangalam and Koodal villages in Kunnathur taluk; and Pandalam South village in Mavelikara taluk.
		21A. Kunnathur (SC).	West Kallada, Sasthamcottah, Sooranad South, Sooranad North, Porvazhi, Pallickal, Peringanad, Kadambanad and Kunnathur villages in Kunnathur talk.

Existing Two-Member Constituency		Proposed Single-Member Constituencies	
S. No. and name	Extent	S. No. and name	Extent
<i>I—Assembly constituencies.</i>			
48. Devicolam (SC).	Devicolam, Udumbanchola and Peermade taluks.	48. Peermade .	Peermade taluk ; and Pambadumpara, Vandanmedu, Chakkupalam and Ayyapancoil villages in Udumbanchola taluk.
		48A. Devicolam (SC).	Devicolam taluk ; and Udumbanchola taluk (excluding Pampadumpara, Vandanmedu, Chakkupallam and Ayyapancoil villages).
64. Chalakudy (SC).	Thirumukkulam, Kakkulisseri, Kuruvilasseri, Alathur, Kallur Thekkemmuri, Kizhakkemmuri, Muringur Thekkummuri, Muringur Vadakkummuri, Kizhakke Chalakudy, Padinjare Chalakudy, Annallur, Thazhakkad, Alur, Perampra, Potta, Elanjipara, Melur, Pariyaram, Kodasseri, Kodakkara, Nellayi, Mattathur, Mupliyam Nandipulam, Chengallur, Thorava, Varandarapalli, Amballur, Trikkur and Kallur villages, Chalakudy town and forest areas in Mukundapuram taluk.	64. Chalakudy	Chalakudy town and Thirumukkulam, Kakkulisseri, Kuruvilasseri, Alathur, Kallur Vadakkummuri, Annallur, Thazhakkad, Alur, Perampara, Potta, Padinjare Chalakudy, Kizhakke Chalakudy, Muringur Vadakkummuri, Elanjipara, Melur, Muringur Thekkummuri, Kallur Thekkummuri and Kizhakkummuri villages in Mukundapuram taluk.
		64-A. Amballur (SC).	Kodakara, Nellayi Chengallur, Thorava Amballur, Kallur, Trikkur, Varandarapally, Muppiliyam, Nandipulam Mattathur, Kodasseri and Pariyaram villages, and the forest area in Mukundapuram taluk.
70. Wadakkancherry (SC).	Talappally taluk (excluding Kunnankulam town and Alur, Kandanasseri, Arthat, Anjur, Kunnankulam, Chovvannur, Chemmanthitta, Kaniyayur, Chundal, Eranallur, Chiranallur, Velur and Kiralur villages).	70. Wadakkancherry.	Katakampal, Mangad, Pazhanji, Porkulam, Agatiyur, Karikkad, Kadavallur, Perumpilavu, Chiramangad, Eyyal, Vellatanjur, Vellarakad, Kadangot, Kariyannur, Tayyur, Nelluvaya, Tichur, Arangottukara, Pallur, Talasseri, Desamanagalam, Pilakkad, Varavur, Kanji, rakode, Chittanda, Kottapuram, Wadakkancherry, Pudurthy, Mundathicode, Parlikad, Peringandoor, and Minaloor villages in Talappally taluk.

Existing Two-Member Constituency		Proposed Single-Member Constituencies	
S. No. and name	Extent	S. No. and name	Extent
<i>I—Assembly constituencies</i>			
		70A. Pazhayan-nur (SC)	Thekkumkara, Karumath-ara, Enakkad, Kumara-nellur, Mulloorkara, Attoor, Nedumpura, Cheruthuruthy, Panjal, Thoonoorkara, Chelakkara, Karumala, Virupakka, Manalithara, Pangarappilly, Killimangalam, Pynkulam, Venganalloor, Mayanoor, Kondazhi, Chelacode, Pulacode-Elanad, Vennoor, Pazhayannoor, Vadakke-thara, Kaniyarcod, Pampadi and Thiruvillamala villages and Machad Hills in Talappally taluk.
74. Ponnani (SC)	Ponnani and Trithala firkas ; and such of the villages in Andathodu firka as are specified in item (3) of the Appendix, in Ponnani taluk.	74. Ponnani	Ponnani firka and Alamcode and Marancheri amsoms in Andathodu firka in Ponnani taluk.
		74A. Trithala (SC)	Trithala firka ; and such of the villages in Andathodu firka as are specified in item (3) of the Appendix, in Ponnani taluk.
77. Chittur (SC)	Chittur taluk of Trichur district ; and kollengode firka (excluding the villages specified in item (5) of the Appendix) in Palghat taluk of Malabar district.	77. Chittur	Chittur taluk (excluding Thiruvazhiad, Kairadi Ayloor, Val'anghi, Pothundi, and Nemmara vilages and the forest area.)
		77A. Kollengode (SC)	Kollengode firka (excluding the villages specified in item (5) of the Appendix) and Thiruvazhiyad, Kairadi, Ayloor, Vellanghi, Pothundi and Nemmara villages and the forest area, in Chittur taluk.
<i>Revised description:</i>	Chittur taluk ; and Kollengode firka (excluding the villages specified in item (5) of the Appendix).		
91. Manjeri (SC)	Manjeri and Wandur firkas in Ernad taluk.	91. Manjeri	Manjeri firka and Chathan-gottupuram, Chembras-seri and Pandikkad villages in wandur firka in Ernad taluk.
		91A. Wandur (SC)	Wandur firka (exclud-ing Chathan-gottupuram, Chembrasser and Pandikkad villages) in Ernad taluk.

Existing Two-Member Constituency

Proposed Single-Member Constituencies

S. No. and name	Extent	S. No. and name	Extent
103. Wynad (ST)	Wynad taluk ; and such of the villages in Kuthuparamba firka as are specified in item (15) of the Appendix in Kottayam taluk.	103. North Wynud	North Wynad taluk and such of the villages in Kuthuparamba firka as are specified in item (15) of the Appendix in Tellichery taluk.
<i>Revised description:</i>	North Wynad taluk, and such of the villages in Kuthuparamba firka as are specified in item (15) of the Appendix in Tellichery taluk, in Cannanore district ; and South Wynad taluk in Kozhicode district.	103A. South Wynad (ST)	South Wynad taluk.
111. Nileswar (SC)	Payyanur firka and such of the villages in Taliparamba firka as are specified in item (19) of the Appendix in Chirakkal taluk ; and Nileswar firka in Kesergod taluk.	111. Payyannur	Payyannur firka (excluding Karivallur village), and such of the villages in Taliparamba firka as are specified in item (19) of the Appendix, in Taliparamba taluk.
<i>Revised description:</i>	Payyannur firka and such of the villages in Taliparamba firka as are specified in item (19) of the Appendix in Chirakkal taluk ; and Nileswar firka in Hosdrug taluk.	111A. Nileswar (SC)	Nileswar firka in Hosdrug taluk ; and Karivallur village in Payyannur firka in Taliparamba taluk.
II—Parliamentary Constituencies			
151. Quilon (SC)	Quilon, Karunagapally, Mavelikara, Kunnathur and Pathanapuram taluks, Mailam, Melila and Vettikavala villages in Kottarakara taluk, Kayamkulam town, Pudupally, Kayamkulam, Kandallur, Arattupuzha, Muthukulam Keerikad and Pathiyoor villages in Kartigapally taluk, and Thiruvandur, Pandanad, Vadakkekara, Puliyoar, Ala, Cherianad, Chengannur, Mannar and Kurattisseri villages in Chengannur taluk, of Quilon district.	151. Quilon	Quilon and Karunagapally taluks in Quilon district ; Kayamkulam town and Pudupally, Kayamkulam, Kandallur, Arattupuzha, Muthukulam, Pathiyoor and Keerikad villages in Karthigapally taluk ; and Perungala village in Mavelikara taluk, of Alleppey district.
		151A. Mavelikara (SC)	Kunnathru and Pathanapuram taluks, Mailam, Melila and Vettikavala villages in Kottarakara taluk, in Quilon district ; Mavelikara taluk (excluding Perungala village) and Thiruvandur,

Existing Two-Member Constituency		Proposed Single-Member Constituencies	
S. No. and name	Extent	S. No. and name	Extent
II—Parliamentary Constituencies— <i>contd.</i>			
Revised description :—	Quilon, Karunagapally, Pathanapuram and Kunnathur taluks and Mailam, Melila and Vettikavala villages in Kottarakara taluk, of Quilon district ; Mavelikara taluk, and Kayamkulam town, Pudupally, Kayamkulam, Kandallur, Arattupuzha, Muthukulam, Keerikad and Pathiyoor, villages in Kartigapally taluk ; and Thiruvananthapuram, Pandanad, Vadakkekara, Puliyoar, Ala, Cherianad, Chengannur, Mannar and Kurattisseri villages in Chengannur taluk, of Alleppey district.		Pandanad, Vadakkekara, Puliyoar, Ala, Cherianad, Chengannur, Mannar and Kurattisseri villages in Chengannur taluk, of Alleppey district.
159. Palghat (SC)	Ponnani and Palghat taluks, and Ottapalam and Pattambi firkas and such of the villages in Mannarghat firka as are specified in item (10) of the Appendix in Waluvanad taluk, in Malabar district ; and Chittur taluk of Trichur district.	159. Ponnani	Ponnani taluk and Ottapalam and Pattambi firkas in Ottapalam taluk, of Palghat district ; and Chowghat taluk of Trichur district.
Revised description :—	Ponnani, Palghat Alathur and Chittur taluks ; and Ottapalam and Pattambi firkas in Ottapalam taluk, and such of the villages in Mannarghat firka as are specified in item (10) of the Appendix in Perintalmanna taluk of Palghat district ; and Chowghat taluk of Trichur district.	159A. Palghat (SC)	Palghat Alathur and Chittur taluks and such of the villages in Mannarghat firka as are specified in item (10) of the Appendix, in Perintalmanna taluk of Palghat district.

APPENDIX

Assembly Constituencies.

(3)

Villages in Andathodu firka in Ponnani taluk included in Trithala assembly constituency.

1. Pallikara
2. Nannamukku
3. Othallur

(15)

Villages in Kuthuparamba firka in Tellicherry taluk, included in North Wynad assembly constituency.

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| 1. Thundiyl | 20. Vattoli |
| 2. Kappat | 21. Thodikulam |
| 3. Manathana | 22. Modapathur |
| 4. Puthalam | 23. Chittariparamba |
| 5. Kommeri | 24. Poovathur |
| 6. Alacheri | 25. Cheruvanchery |
| 7. Poyilur | 26. Nirveli |
| 8. Vilakothur | 27. Ayithara |
| 9. Muringode | 28. Kaideri |
| 10. Vellarvalli | 29. Kandankunnu |
| 11. Kunithala | 30. Mambram |
| 12. Thiruvonpram | 31. Triprangothur |
| 13. Vekkalam | 32. Meruvanbayi |
| 14. Tholambra | 33. Peravur |
| 15. Kolayat | 34. Vayanur |
| 16. Edayar | 35. Kothimanga |
| 17. Kannavam | 36. Pozhari |
| 18. Panambetta | 37. Puzhiod |
| 19. Idumba | 38. Peruva |

(19)

Villages in Taliparamba firka in Taliparamba taluk, included in Payyannur assembly constituency.

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| 1. Thimuri | 17. Thalora |
| 2. Talavil | 18. Vellara |
| 3. Arangam | 19. Padappengad |
| 4. Thadikadvu | 20. Kooveri |
| 5. Chapparapadam | 21. Cheniyur. |
| 6. Naduvil | 22. Kuttiyeri |
| 7. Kolathur | 23. Vayat |
| 8. Chuzhali | 24. Tiruvallur |
| 9. Irringal | 25. Pacheni |
| 10. Panangathur | 26. Pariyaram |
| 11. Mavecheri | 27. Mukkunnum |
| 12. Panniyur | 28. Panakkad |
| 13. Koonam | 29. Kuppam |
| 14. Poomangalam | 30. Taliparamba |
| 15. Mazhur | 31. Kanichamal |
| 16. Kunhirangad | |

APPENDIX

Parliamentary Constituencies.

(10)

Villages in Mannarghat firka in Perintalmanna taluk included in Palghat parliamentary constituency.

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| 1. Kalladikode | 7. Viyyakkurissi |
| 2. Karimba | 8. Muthukurussi |
| 3. Karakurissi | 9. Pondiampuram |
| 4. Thachampara | 10. Pookunnu |
| 5. Pallikurup | 11. Pullasserri |
| 6. Pottasseri | 12. Trikkalur |

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By order,

PRAKASH NARAIN, Secy.